APPENDIX 6 (STATE BORDER HIGHWAY AND QUARANTINE CHECKPOINTS) to Annex W

ESTABLISHMENT OF STATE BORDER HIGHWAY CHECKPOINTS.

- a. The West Virginia State Police will be the primary agency responsible for state border highway checkpoints to be established to facilitate the restriction of movement of animals as defined by the Commissioner of Agriculture in West Virginia Code, Chapter 19 and the Director of the Division of Natural Resources in West Virginia Code, Chapter 20-1-7. The highways on which checkpoints are to be established will be by the direction of the Commissioner of Agriculture and the Director of the Division of Natural Resources. The restriction of movement of animals will be caused by the activation of Annex W to the West Virginia Emergency Operations Plan and proclamation by the Commissioner of Agriculture, Director of Natural Resources and the Governor of the State of West Virginia.
- b. The State Police, in concert with other appropriate agencies, have identified Interstate Routes, United States Routes and West Virginia Routes the state border highway checkpoints. The Commissioner of Agriculture and the Director of the Division of Natural resources will determine what specific roads are to have checkpoints established to restrict the movement of animals. Attached is Attachment One that identifies the routes by checkpoint number, Attachment Two identifies the checkpoints by Interstate, United States and West Virginia routes. Attachment Three is a sample data sheet that will be completed by the Commissioner of Agriculture, Director of the Division of Natural Resources and Governor of the State of West Virginia that will be sent to all affected law enforcement agencies that are involved with the checkpoints is a list of those routes in which checkpoints will be established.
- c. Upon implementation of Level 5 Response of the Emergency Operations Plan and activation of the State Emergency Operations Center, the State Police will dispatch a sufficient number of uniform members to establish checkpoints to restrict the movement of the animals that are not permitted to be moved in/out of the West Virginia. The State Police will be responsible for staffing the checkpoints for the first 4-6 hours of operation. Representatives from the State Police will coordinate with the representatives for the WV Public Service Commission, Division of Natural Resources-Law Enforcement, the Division of Highways, National Guard, appropriate county sheriffs departments and appropriate municipal police departments to provide officers to continue the checkpoints and to provide relief for State Police officers staffing the checkpoints.
- 2. ESTABLISHMENT OF HIGHWAY CHECKPOINTS FOR A QUARANTINED AREA.

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- a. The State Police will be the primary agency responsible for the establishment of highway checkpoints that are to be used to restrict the movement of people, animals, vehicles, equipment, supplies, etc. during the activation of Annex W of the West Virginia Operations Emergency Plan. The area to have restricted movement will be defined by the Commissioner of Agriculture and the Director of the Division of Natural Resources as per the authority of WV Code Chapter 19 and West Virginia Code Chapter 20, respectively, and in the state of emergency as declared by the Governor of the State of West Virginia.
- b. Upon implementation of Level 5 of the Emergency Operations plan and activation of the State Emergency Operations Center and the declaration of emergency of the Governor of the State of West Virginia, the State Police will dispatch a sufficient number of uniform members to establish checkpoints to restrict the movement of people, animals, vehicles, equipment, supplies, etc. to the guarantined areas as defined by the Commissioner of Agriculture and the Director of the Division of Natural Resources. The State Police will be responsible for the staffing of the checkpoints for the first 4-6 hours of operation. During the first 4-6 hours, representatives of the State Police will coordinate with representatives of the WV Public Service commission, Division of Natural Resources-Law Enforcement, the Division of Highways, National Guard, appropriate county sheriffs departments and appropriate municipal police departments and other agencies to provide officers to continue the checkpoints and to provide relief for the State Police officers staffing the checkpoints.